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SUBJECT: COMMISSION ON NARCOTIC DRUGS (FEB 18- MARCH 1)

AGENDA ITEMS 9, SUPPLY OF OPIATES FOR MEDICAL

PURPOSES AND 11, PERIODICITY

REF: (A) STATE 024153; (B) STATE 026073

1. SWEDISH FONOFF (NORBERG) INFORMED OF US POSITION RE
AGENDA ITEM 9, SUPPLY OF OPIATES FOR MEDICAL PURPOSES
AND AGENDA ITEM 11, PERIODICITY OF CND MEETINGS (REFTELS).

2. RE ITEM 9 NORBERG EXPRESSED UNDERSTANDING OF US
OBJECTIVE BUT HAD NOT PREVIOUSLY FOCUSED ON QUESTION,
THEREFORE COULD MAKE NO SUBSTANTIVE COMMENT. US
VIEW TO BE CIRCULATED WITHIN GOS WHERE ITEM WILL BE
DISCUSSED PRIOR TO GENEVA MEETING.

3. GOS IN ESSENTIAL AGREEMENT WITH US OVER PERIODICITY
OF CND MEETINGS. DEFINITELY BELIEVE THAT ANNUAL MEETINGS
ARE NECESSARY DURING CURRENT DRUG EPIDEMIC, BUT
SUSCEPTIBLE TO THE ARGUMENT THAT SPECIAL SESSIONS BE
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EMPLOYED BETWEEN BIENNIAL CONFERENCES RATHER THAN

INSTITUTIONALIZING ANNUAL MEETING WHICH WOULD SET
UNFORTUNATE AND COSTLY PRECEDENT.

4. SWEDISH DELEGATION TO CND TO BE HEADED BY BROR REXED,
DIRECTOR-GENERAL, NATIONAL BOARD OF HEALTH AND WELFARE.
OTHER MEMBERS OF DELEGATION ARE C.E. STURKELL AND
LARS HULTSTRAND, MINISTRY OF SOCIAL WELFARE; GUNNAR
KROOK, COURT APOTHECARY, BOARD OF HEALTH AND WELFARE;
BJORN-ERIK ROOS, NATIONAL POLICE BOARD; LARS NORBERG,
FOREIGN OFFICE. KROOK EXPECTED TO CIRCULATE DRAFT
OUTLINE OF REVISED ANNUAL REPORT.

5. ACTION REQUESTED: POST WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING
NAMES OF MEMBERS OF US DELEGATION.
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